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Army News



Pilot Officer George Alexander Scott, son of Dr. and Mrs. A.G. Scott, of Bassano has recently completed his Flying Instructor course at No. 2 Flying Instructor School, Pearce, Alta. PIO Scott was teaching at the University of Pennsylvania before enlisting in the RCAF in June, 1943.

BASSANO NEWS

The Service boys (and girls) benefit club today sent overseas thirty eight parcels of 100 cigarettes, and also four boxes of chocolates. Pie Stan Haakayne has been added to our list of boys we ship to every two months.

Our meetings are discontinued for two months and next meeting will be at the home of the Vice President Mrs. L. Simolin, September 8th. Wednesday afternoon. We are planning a dance on August 11th, Friday. The club is also making plans for a picnic this summer.

Mrs. George Morrison has returned home from a holiday in California and Vancouver.

Mrs. Agnes Goodrich and Miss Gladys Meidinger are holidaying in the states.

Mrs. Ed. Ewitt left last week for a months holiday in United States.

Last Wednesday night the group had a meeting to close the season. The girls prepared delicious lunch and served it very efficiently to the group and Miss F. Ott as a guest. Miss Edith Edwards received a gift from the group, also Miss Iris Avery. Gift certificates were received by Miss Mona Short, Grace McLeland Joyce Cote, Irene Aggrey and Margaret Brown. Since last November the group has been very active, and has accomplished a considerable amount of work. During the year they have been entertained at the homes of Jackie Edwards, Donna McCullough, Velma Harris, Lorraine Meidinger and Laura Maurer.

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Born at the Hospital

To Mr. & Mrs. J.C. Speers, Patricia Alta a daughter on June 14th, 1944

To Mr. & Mrs. H. Dyck of East Coulee, Alta, a son on June 21st, 1944

To Mr. & Mrs. M. Devick, Hussar, Alta a daughter on June 19th 1944

To Mrs. and Mrs. D. Krause Rosemary Alta a son on June 21st 1944

To Mr. and Mrs. G. Milne Bassano a daughter on June 22nd 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller Gem a daughter on June 20th. 1944.

LATHOM NEWS

Mrs. M. Wurster had the misfortune while visiting in Calgary recently to fall down a stairway. She sustained a broken hip and a great many bruises but is beginning to feel a little better again.

Mrs. L. Munro was a Brooks visitor Monday.

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Farm Land "88" Stake in

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The wheat will be sown this year at the Swift Current, Sask. experimental station, where it was originated.

The seed was taken to California to take advantage of climatic conditions in speeding reproduction.

Dr. L.H. Newman director of the department's cereal division said; calculation of the value of the new strain of wheat was "purely speculative."

"Some years the loss from sawfly has been extremely heavy and the saving might easily run into millions of dollars," Dr. Newman said.

been home on leave last Sunday evening on Yarmouth N.S. where he is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kinney and family of Calgary have been visiting friends in the district over the week end Mrs. Kinney was formerly Jean Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Housens and family of Iron Springs spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V.G. Campbell.

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If rising prices and costs were allowed to keep pushing each other up, inflation would be unavoidable. That's what inflation is—a panic rise in prices—with money losing its value and confusion everywhere. To prevent inflation, a ceiling has been set on prices and profits,—wages and salaries have been controlled.



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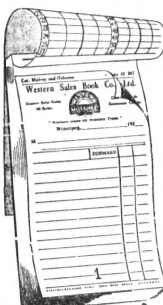
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TARIFF CUTS Will Benefit Agriculturists

Federal authorities have ruled that full reduction of prices due to complete removal of import tariffs from farm machinery and implements must be passed on to the farmers who buy them. This action follows the most sweeping reduction on agricultural equipment since the National Policy was originated by the Macdonald government in the last century. Practically all agricultural implements and machines were placed on the free list by the 1944 budget, a goal at which farmers' organization have been aiming for many years. In addition, the 18 per cent war exchange tax on farm implements has been taken off. Resulting over-all tariff cuts run from 17 1/2 to 35 per cent.

IT IS STILL LESS THAN THEIR SAVINGS

Canada's pension bill in respect to this war will be enormous. The Minister of Pensions said in the House of Commons that pensions costing \$6,075,000 a year were being paid to 13,215 veterans of the present war at April 30. A federal department of Veterans Affairs has been taken off. Resulting over-all tariff cuts run from 17 1/2 to 35 per cent.



War-time Information Board



"I guess it's up to me!"

Now that I can go I'm not going to stick around and let the other fellows do it.

Bill and Jack went over last week, and Fred's been over there a year. Now it's my chance.

It's going to take months of training before I can get fighting-fit, so I'd better get moving today.

Yes sir! I'm going now, to tell Dad and Mom that I'm on my way to sign up.



VOLUNTEER TODAY

Join the CANADIAN ARMY FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE

Would Register All Car Titles

Initiative by the provincial gov't of certificates of title to all automobiles was approved by the provincial directors of the AMA when they held a recent meeting in Calgary.

C. H. Grant, K. C., counsel for the association, was appointed to take the proposal up with the gov't

at the earliest opportunity. When the matter came up for discussion, Mr. Grant said that in most of the states the system of issuing such certificates of title was in effect. This had been found to be a useful plan which was designed to act as a deterrent to thefts of cars.

Several members expressed the view that the government should provide this service itself in recognition of the high license fees that

are imposed in the province.

IS THIS PLAN FOR YOU?

Speaking in the House of Commons on the bill to establish a federal Department of Reconstruction, Prime Minister King, stated there should be no difficulty in securing money for reconstruction purposes. Having raised money during the war by loans and taxation to destroy lives and property his opinion was that: "When the

whole picture is reversed, and it comes to the matter of carrying out constructive work, for the rebuilding of communities, for the supplying of homes necessities and luxuries of life there is going to be a demand for employment the like of which could not arise at any other time." Greatest planning he thought, was for the period following transition when full employment would be very necessary.

RECORDER

HONOR ROLL

The Recorder would appreciate readers informing us of errors or omissions to the Honor Roll of names of men who have joined some branch of the C. A. S. F. from the entire district.

CASUALTIES

Flying Officer R.A. Grayford
Obs-Sgt. G.H. Stiles, Bassano
P.O. Jack Walsh, Bassano
W.A.O. Sgt. Charles Brown, Gem
Flt. Sgt. H. B. Hudson, Bassano

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Flight-Lieut. R.H. Harper, D.F.C.
Bassano

ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

Sig. Graham Cabre, Bassano

Able-Sman Tom Pragnell, Bassano

O.D. Ronald Clifford, Gem

Ldg. C.K. John Bailey, Gem

Bo. Dale Dickman, Gem

R.A. Norman Stiles, Bassano

Able-Sman Dale McBride, Bassano

Able-Sman R. Edwards, Bassano

Able-Sman Clifford Johnson, Bassano

Sig. H. Balewick, Bassano

O. Sman H. A. Hartley, Bassano

Sig. J. R. Stiles, Bassano

O.Sman E. Barlow, Bassano

R.C.A.F.

*Corp. Inst. Geo. Edwards, Bassano

Sgt. Larry Ward, Bassano

LAC Sman Edwards, Bassano

*Sgt. Oba Walter Bessner, Bassano

Gun. Hagg. A. J. Majorville, Alb

P.O. R. Arlison, Bassano

AC2 Edward Cador, Countess

LAC Wm. Snipe, Bassano

LAC Archie MacLean, Bassano

Corp. L. Wintler, Lathom

L. A. C. Zelinski, Bassano

Corp. A. Zelinski, Bassano

Flying Off. Jim Honey, Bassano

LAC Hugh Berry, Bassano

AC2 W. Marriot, Bassano

P.O. Norman Ingber, Bassano

Sgt. Tom Rodbourne, Crowfoot

AC2 A.C. Smalley, Bassano

Sgt. Ken Hagen, Bassano

P.O. Ben Plummer, Bassano

W. O. Balawick, Bassano

Sgt. Ival Warren, Bassano

Corp. F. T. Cary, Bassano

*AC2. Delbert Down, Bassano

AC2 K. Gougion, Bassano

LAC J. W. Douglas, Gem

AC2 Richard Peake

P.O. Tommy Lamont, Bassano

Sgt. Pilot R. MacLean, Bassano

L.A.C. George Scott, Bassano

LAC. Donald Nall, Makepeace.

L.A.C. Ray MacLaren, Bassano

L.A.C. Bill Plummer, Bassano

AC2 Ray Thompson, Countess

LAC. Norman Wright, Bassano

CANADIAN ARMY

Pte. Wm. Ketter, Gem

L. Corp Bill Hay, Countess

*Pte. J. Pietz, Bassano

Pte. S. Edwards, Gem

Pte. J. Evans, Gem

Pte. Archibald, Gem

Tpt. Tom Austin, Bassano

Pte. Eddie Marquardt, Bassano

Pte. Ruben Beringer, Bassano

Pte. Harry Pragnell, Bassano

Pte. E. Schiele, Bassano

Pte. W. Brookbank Huser

Pte. H. Kerr, Countess

Pte. Jim MacLean, Bassano

Pte. R. Landefeld, Bassano

*Pte. L.T. Jordan, Bassano

Pte. Pat Bailey, Gem Colony

*Pte. A. Calhoun, Bassano

*Pte. J. Leverage, Lathom

Gun. HAZEL J. Majorville.

Pte. Andy Bell, Gem

Pte. Robert Spates, Gem

L.Cpl. William Wallace, Gem

Gun. Clarence Schelhorn, Gem

Pte. Glen Farnham, Gem

L.Corp. Lloyd Jachura, Gem

Gun. Fred Anderson, Gem

Pte. Albert Becken, Gem

Pte. Earl Edwards, Gem

Sgt. A.H. Kerr, Countess

1st Lieut. T. Ingeberg, Bassano

Sgt. R. Rathbone, Bassano

Sgt. Henry Morrison, Bassano

L. Cpl. Dan Morrison, Bassano

*Pte. A. R. Broadfoot, Bassano

*Sgt. Vance Caproni, Bassano

*Sgt. A. Hood, Bassano

Pte. John Kaneb, Makepeace

*Pte. Jack Hinkley, Bassano

*Pte. Dan Foley, Gem

Pte. Sid Bailey, Gem Colony

*Sgt. Wilbert Edge, Bassano

Pte. Harvey Varty, Lathom

Sgt. William Calbra, Bassano

Pte. Hagg. B. A. Majorville, Alta.

1st Lieut. Marion Haynes, Bassano

L. Cpl. John Rutka, Bassano

Pte. Bertrig, Bassano

Pte. J. Landefeld, Bassano

Pte. W. H. Royer, Gem

Sgt. F. Rockwell, Bassano

Pte. E. W. Mullen, Makepeace

Gun. Hagg. Stanley, Majorville.

Sgt. Fred Bohrer, Bassano

Sgt. Clifford Nall, Makepeace

CORP. A.E. Sanford, Bassano

L. B.R. R. Marriot, Bassano

Cpl. Lewis Osterberg, Lathom

Lieut. Sub. Foley, Gem

Corp. A. McKay, Gem

*Corp. R.J. Abbott, Gem

*PTE. R.J. Muller, Makepeace.

*Pte. S. Wurster, Lathom

Corp. J. Balawick, Bassano.

Pte. N.J. McFarland, Bassano

*AC2 J. Smith, Bassano

Sgt. Jim Atkins, Gem

Capt. R.H. Donaldson, Bassano

Pte. Stanley James, Gem

Pte. Arnold McCormick, Gem

Pte. Abe Penner, Gem

Spr. P. Penner, Gem

Pte. Henry Pustkau, Gem

Pte. Ted Schneider, Gem

Pte. A. Redikopp, Gem

Pte. John Redikopp, Gem

Pte. C. Hien, Duck Lake

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*Sgt. Major R. Wade, Gem

First Lieut. C. Honey, Bassano.

*V-Corp. J. Brown, Gem

PTE. R. Archibald, Gem

Gun. Charles Hayes, Bassano.

Gun. F. W. Cowan, Bassano

Cor. R.W. Cowan, Bassano

Gun. W.A. Freeman, Lathom

Cor. Herbold Landefeld, Bassano.

*CAPT. Wm. McLara, Bassano

Pte. Jack Edwards, Bassano

Pte. Herbert Landefeld, Bassano

Pte. Dick McNeill, Bassano

*Gunn. David Walsh, Bassano

Women's Division

CASUALTIES

Pte. Barbara Remels, Bassano

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

Pte. D. Thompson, Countess

A.W. 2 M. Walsh, Bassano

CANADIAN ARMY

2 Lieut. M. Remels

ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

Sub Lieut. Peterson, Bassano



Family Allowance Plan to Aid Rural People

A survey shows that farm families will benefit to a large extent from the family allowance plan. The average payment per child is about \$6.25 a month and the cheques will be issued from Ottawa to heads of families. The family allowance plan was proposed by C.P. McTaggart, national chairman of the Progressive Conservative party, when he was chairman of the National War Labor Board. He called it a social measure designed to aid those whose status required such assistance.

But John Bracken, National Progressive Conservative Leader, & opposed to the plan which he calls a "political bribe." Instead, he proposed higher wages for lowerpaid industrial workers and smaller income taxes on low-income earners. The government has so far maintained the ceiling on all wages, because to increase lower-range factory pay would bring on tremendous pressure for higher rates for those receiving higher salaries. This would increase costs to farmers and other consumers. Instead it is increasing purchasing power and improving the standard of living by the family allowance program. Brooke Claxton, parliamentary assistant to Prime Minister King calls the plan "the most daring single social and economic measure ever put forward in a democracy to increase the consuming and purchasing power of the whole community."

COST OF IMPLEMENTS WILL BE LOWERED

The government has made it plain that farm machinery and implements are to remain on the free list, so that ultimately there will be substantial lowering of prices. Just now the main equipment available for import from the United States are tractors but as war requirements for metal and labor decrease, most equipment used on the farm will be buyable from the United States as well as from Canadian sources. Prices will remain at current levels until dealers dispose of stocks bought before the budget and upon which they had to pay duty and war exchange tax. Removal of the tariff from farm equipment allows government moves to put a floor under agricultural prices and wide provisions for cheaper and easier farm credits.

DRUGS and STATIONARY



STILES THE DRUGGIST

"THE RXAL STORE"

ministries, Veterans' Affairs, Reconstruction and National Health and Welfare, Speaking on the bill to establish the National Health and Welfare department Mr. King said the time has come when human welfare must be placed above dollar values in the scheme of national life and legislation. He stressed that it is the intention to initiate Canada's all-inclusive scheme of national health insurance which would provide better hospital and medical services for all rural areas.

Report Nazi Plan to Attack New York with Creulous Subs

The Berlin correspondent of the Madrid newspaper on Saturday reported on the latest brainchild of the secret weapon department of Paul Joseph Goebbels' propaganda ministry.

The German flying bomb will soon be used against New York by still another secret device—the creulous submarine—he reported.

"There are those in Berlin who believe there are many other German secret arms closely related to the principle of the flying bomb," he said. "Rumor reports that it is possible to transport the flying bomb aboard submarines which lying many miles off the American coast, will bombard New York with projectiles."

"It is also rumored that one of these creulous projectiles which will be used by Germany will be a submarine itself."

Items Of Local Interest

Glen Standen son of Mr. & Mrs. Len Standen graduated from MacDonald, Man B & G school as Sgt. Air Gunner on Friday June 30th. Glen left Gem in 1942 with his parents who are now residing in Calgary.



Spinning and weaving provides an interest for more members of the Ottawa Recreational Association, known as "RA", than there are facilities to accommodate. Illustrated is a member of the RA

learning the technique of spinning. Other activities in the RA range from sports such as soft ball, bowling, swimming, golf, to dance classes painting and sketching, dramatics, child care.

LOANS to FARMERS FOR SEASONAL PURPOSES



When you require ready cash for the purchase of seed, fertilizer, livestock, farm equipment and other legitimate purposes, call at your local branch of The Royal Bank of Canada. The Manager will be glad to discuss a loan with you and explain the simple terms under which it can be made and the convenient arrangements available for repayment.

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July 7th, & 8th.

TORNADO

Chester Morris and Nancy Kelly

July 14th, and 15th.

TO THE SHORES OF TRIPOLI

John Payne
Maureen O'Hara and Randolph Scott.

Show Starts At 8:30 p.m

Good Gardening Takes More THAN FANCY Equipment



Last year there were some wartime gardeners who had had luck with their crops. Many of these started with a burst of enthusiasm, but in their determined effort to produce a garden better than his neighbours, they bought a lot of equipment without the knowledge of how to use it. This can happen to anyone keen about a job. Throughout the season this year a little more thought, discussion and study is going to put right the mistakes of last year.

Garden experts say that last year's potential food for Canadian families was lost because Mr. and Mrs. Wartime Gardener were green at the job. This year Mr. & Mrs. W. G. are going to produce that food or know the reason why!